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FOLLOWING REPEAT NICOSIA 1358 ACTION SECSTATE INFO ANKARA ATHENS BEIRUT LONDON USMISSION NATO USUN NY USDOCOSOUTH DIA WASHDC USEUCOM VAIHAIGEN 15 JULY 1974. QUOTE:

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SUBJECT: COUP: MAKARIOS ALIVE?
1. UK HICOM TELLS US BRITISH UNFICYP COMMANDER IN PAPHOS HAS INFORMED HEADQUARTERS THAT HE HAS SEEN MAKARIOS IN PAPHOS AND THAT ARCHBISHOP HAS REQUESTED MEETING TOMORROW MORNING WITH RANKING UNFICYP OFFICIALS. BRITISH OFFICER INVOLVED HAD NEVER RPT NEVER MET MAKARIOS PREVIOUSLY, BUT HAD NO REASON DOUBT INDIVIDUAL'S BONA FIDES. UNFICYP HAS REPORTED ABOVE TO NEW YORK; TWO TOP OFFICIALS PLAN GO TO PAPHOS MORNING JULY 16.

2. PAPHOS CBC STATION 1717 GMT BROADCAST SHORT SPEECH, PURPORTING TO BE MAKARIOS CALLING ON POPULACE TO RALLY TO HIS SUPPORT.
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